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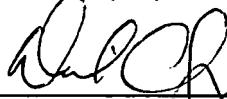
RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY

This replies to the Notice to Incomplete Reply of Application (PTO-1533) mailed July 24, 2000. The fee was erroneously miscalculated by my office. Enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$345 to cover the balance due by Applicant. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to our deposit account number 07-2400.

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